

## APPENDIX EE

### GOVERNMENT FUNDING FOR LOCAL MOVES

A local, short-distance move of household goods is government funded if the move is deemed to be “for the convenience of the government.” Conversely, a local, short-distance move that is made to accommodate a service member’s personal problems, convenience or desires will not be authorized for payment by the Government. Paragraph U5355 of the Joint Federal Travel Regulation (JFTR) provides specific policy guidance pertaining to short-distance moves. The information contained in the following matrix addresses some of the more common local moves and outlines the responsibility for funding the cost of the move:

SITUATION	Government Funded	Personal Expense
Single pregnant service member is “directed to move from barracks to Family housing	X	
Single pregnant service member elects to move from barracks to private rental housing		X
Single service member marries and moves from barracks to Family housing	X	
Single service member marries and elects to move to private rental housing when Family housing is available (Mandatory housing assignment policy in effect)		X
Married couple living in Government Family housing divorce and sponsor moves to the barracks	X	
Change in Family composition or rank increases bedroom or category authorization		X
Family elects to move from Family housing to private rental housing		X
Family requests to move from private rental housing to Family housing for personal convenience		X
Service member must vacate private rental housing for reasons beyond member’s control incident to “ <b>Involuntary</b> ” tour extension	X	
Service member must vacate private rental housing due to landlord’s refusal to renew lease or eviction		X
Garrison commander determines quarters are uninhabitable	X	
Garrison commander directs mandatory assignment to Government Family housing to fill vacant units	X	
Required to vacate Government family housing due to retirement from active duty or separation from service	X	
Any move directed at the discretion of the garrison commander	X	
Move to another Government Family housing unit based on a medical exception to policy approved by the garrison commander	X	